

## YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers



### 'Suggestion — Get Off Her Back . . .'

Dear Ann Landers: My 15-year-old and I are hopelessly deadlocked over her bedtime. I insist that there must be a way for her to get to bed on weekdays before 11:30 p.m. She says it is not possible.

Charlotte buries herself in a mountain of work just before supper. With luck it may be finished by 10:00 p.m. Then there is the hair-rolling job, a leisurely bath and putting out the clothes for the next day. By 11:30 I am worn out from pleading, begging, coaxing and finally ordering her to get to bed.

The only weapon I've been able to dream up is a 25 cent penalty for every weekday evening Charlotte is up after 11:00 p.m. It hasn't worked worth a darn. She pays up without complaint and continues to poke around every night.

Do you have any suggestions? I'm a nervous wreck from this nightly battle.

—COLUMBIA, S.C.  
Dear Columbia: Yes, I have a suggestion—get off her back. You say nothing about Charlotte having trouble getting out of bed in the morning. Nor is there any indication that the girl is not getting sufficient rest. Some people require less sleep than others.

As an experiment try this: Say nothing about bedtime for the next 10 days. I'll bet Charlotte won't retire one minute later than usual, and she'll probably get to bed earlier when you stop riding her.

Dear Ann Landers: I work in a large office building. The company has provided a lovely ladies lounge for the employees. It makes me sick the way some girls put their dirty shoes on the beautifully upholstered furniture. They wipe lipstick on the walls, throw paper towels on the floor, crush cigarette butts into the rugs and do all sorts of uncouth things.

What baffles me is that some of these girls are well-bred young ladies who come from high class homes. One girl is "fancy society" in this town. Can you explain it?

—ANN OYED

Dear Annoyed: I don't know what you consider "high-class," "well-bred" or "fancy society." If you mean

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THEY MEAN BUSINESS . . . Here's our check and these are some of the items we have in mind, indicate Mrs. James Misel, left, philanthropy chairman of the Torrance Junior Club, and Mrs. William Faulds, president, as they chat with Joe Wilcox, executive director of the Torrance YMCA. The Junior Woman's club check for \$600 was given to Wilcox this week to be added to the current building fund for a new YMCA for Torrance. (Herald Photo)

### Swell Building Fund

## 'Y' Gets Check From Junior Club

Building fund for a new Torrance YMCA was swelled by \$600 this week, when the Torrance Junior Woman's Club presented a check for that amount to the local Y, pinpointing the sum for building materials for construction of a new Y. The check was given to Joe Wilcox, executive director of the YMCA by Mrs. William Faulds, president of the Juniors, and Mrs. James Misel, philanthropy chairman.

With the YMCA as the Junior Club's main philanthropy for the 1963-64 club year, thousands of envelopes have been addressed by this busy group and are ready for the spring campaign. Juniors have also typed index cards, helped develop a Citizens Committee in the endorsement of the new YMCA, sold tickets to a local theater, and worked on many other projects.

At Christmas, the Juniors donated toys, clothing, food and canned milk to the YMCA's Navajo Indian project in Arizona.

On another occasion, the Junior club donated a check for \$25 to go to the YMCA Campership fund.

### Xi Gamma To Confer Degree At Dinner

Xi Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will confer the honorary degree "Order of the Rose" on five members at a dinner meeting on Wednesday, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the directors room, Cockatoo Inn, 4334 Imperial Hwy., Inglewood.

Those who will receive the honor, which signifies the completion of 15 years in Beta Sigma Phi, are Misses Velma Bartley, Rhea Joy Luckey, Eleanor Morales; Mmes. Virginia Milner and Edward Porter.

## Spring Workshop Slated By Community Arts Assn.

Spring registration for the Palos Verdes Community Arts Craft Workshop in sculpting and ceramics will be held March 19, 20 and 21. Registration will take place at 405 Via Chico, Palos Verdes Plaza, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., for both members and non-members.

Ceramics will be taught by Elaine Katzer, who will instruct beginning and advanced students in the art of the potter's wheel, drupe clay, slab and coil construction, as well as a special study of glazing, engobs and textures. Classes are offered Mondays, March 23 to April 27 from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., as well as Wednesdays, March 25 to April 29 from 9 a.m. to noon, and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. until noon children's ceramics are available for the 6th grade and up.

An evening sculpturing class will be instructed by Marcus White from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m., beginning each Wednesday, March 25, to April 29. Mr. White will instruct beginning and advanced students in clay modeling, wood carving and metal working with acetylene torch. He plans to place emphasis not only on design, but in mastery of the student's chosen medium.

Mr. Robert Ortlieb will conduct sculpting classes during the day from 9 a.m. to noon on each Tuesday beginning March 24 to April 28. In order to offer these advantages to the community, a continuing membership is needed. Anyone interested in obtaining membership or information regarding the many classes available, may contact the Community Arts Center, 405 Chico, Palos Verdes Plaza.

## Newlywed M. L. Bowdens To Make Home in Hawaii

In a mid-afternoon ceremony on Saturday March 7, at the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Redondo, Miss Kathleen Loraine Mallehan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mallehan, 1904 Andreo, became the bride of Milton Lee Bowden. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Peggy Drgastin of Los Alamitos and Mr. T. J. Bowden of Wilmington.

The Rev. E. W. Cox officiated at the double ring nuptial service when the bride was given in marriage by her father.

The wedding gown was of white candlelight taffeta and lace detailed with a square lace-scalloped neckline and long pointed sleeves. The fitted bodice and front panel of the skirt were of lace over taffeta. The bouffant back of the skirt was of taffeta and was fashioned in a chapel train. A matching lace and satin pillbox headpiece held the illusion veil and the bride carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Faye Osborne was her sister's matron of honor and Miss Glenda Traw was the bridesmaid. They both wore cherry pink organza sheaths

and each carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Mike McCusker performed the duties of best man and ushers were Blaine McCusker and Gary Blakley. Greggy Perow was ring bearer.

A reception for the 150 guests was held at the church. Miss Maxine Ihara was in charge of the guest book and Miss Linda Grubb assisted in serving.

After a honeymoon in Las Vegas, the newlyweds will go to Hawaii to make their home.

The new Mrs. Bowden was graduated from Torrance High School in 1961 and attended El Camino College. She has been employed by Sears.

Mr. Bowden was graduated from Torrance High School in 1959. He attended El Camino and Long Beach State Colleges and is now serving with the United States Air Force, stationed in Hawaii.

# Social World

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PATRICIA BURKE . . . Future Bride

## Announce Daughter's Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Martin M. Burke, 3920 Pacific Coast Hwy., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Marie, to Mark John Weaver, son of Mr. Raymond Weaver of Los Angeles and the late Mrs. Catherine Weaver.

No date has been set for the wedding.

The bride-elect, a 1963 graduate of South High, is now employed by the Pacific Telephone Co.

Her fiancé, a Venice High graduate, is employed by Fiberglass Engineering.

## Republican Women Will Hear Talk

Mrs. Byron Morris, research chairman for the Los Angeles County Federation of Republican Women, will speak Thursday to the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women.

"The Truth, The Whole Truth" will be the topic of her address during the noon luncheon meeting at Plush Horse Inn.

Mrs. Morris has been active in the GOP for almost 8 years. She is serving her fourth year as research chairman and is on the Speaker's Bureau for the county organization.

She is a member of the Republican State Central Committee, is Education chairman for the Long Beach 32nd Congressional District and participates in the lecture course given by the Republican Assembly.

For two years, Mrs. Morris was president of the Lakewood Federation of Republican Women and for two more years was Legislation chairman of this group. She has worked as Precinct chairman and member of the co-ordinating Council in the 32nd Congressional District.

Mrs. Morris, her husband and two daughters, live in Long Beach at 4320 Graywood Ave.

All Republican women are invited to attend the meeting. Reservations can be made by calling Mrs. Bertha Walters.

## Bridge Party

Mrs. Beryl Gutridge was hostess to club members and guests at a bridge luncheon Tuesday afternoon at her home 24815 Matfield Dr.

In the bridge games, following the luncheon, high score was held by Mrs. Gutridge and second by Mrs. Nick Dailey.

Mrs. Gutridge's guests were Mmes. C. F. McLaughlin, Charles Fowler, Joseph Pizzo, Harold French, Nick Dailey, Al Marshall and Ellis Meyer.

Mrs. McLaughlin will be the club's next hostess at her San Pedro home.

## Attend Marina District Events

Mrs. J. G. Louvier, president of the Torrance Woman's Club and Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, attended a Marina District board meeting held in Lawndale Friday.

On Thursday, Mrs. Louvier presided at the tea table at the Marina District flower show held in Inglewood. Also attending the flower show were Mmes. R. L. Rudy and J. C. Warnock.

## Dinner Party

A recent foursome enjoying dinner at the Marineland Restaurant on the Palos Verdes peninsula were Mr. and Mrs. John Petschek of Rolling Hills and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Moody of Torrance.



A SPECIAL EVENING . . . Charter members of the Torrance Ladies of the Elks will be honor guests at the group's meeting Tuesday evening at the Elks Lodge. Here, from left, seated, Mrs. Harold Berry and Mrs. Elmer Lancaster, hospitality chairmen, discuss the evening with two charter members, standing from left, Mrs. Ted Foster and Mrs. Fred Mishler, Sr. (Herald Photo)

## B'nai B'rith Will Meet

Hollypark B'nai B'rith Women will meet March 16 at the Great Western Savings and Loan Bldg., Purche and Rosecrans, Gardena, at 8:30 p.m.

Program for the evening will be presented by the Patricia Stevens-Loretta Young Career College. The college, in existence for the past 27 years, teaches fashion modeling, airline hostess preparations, executive secretarial fashion retailing and self improvement.

Mrs. Doreen Hampshire, instructor, will speak and will award a scholarship as the main door prize.

There is no admission charge. For further information or transportation Mrs. Herbert Schwartz of Gardena may be called.

## A Special Tribute

# Ladies of the Elks Fete Charter Members

Charter members of the Torrance Ladies of the Elks will be spotlighted in a special tribute Tuesday evening when the group holds its regular business meeting at the Elks hall on Abolone St.

A small group of women met on Jan. 25, 1955 to organize the wives of the members of the Torrance Elks Lodge 1948. Mrs. Sally Bryant was installed as the group's first president on May 14, 1955. There are 38 charter members.

Others serving as president through the years are Mmes. Joe Fahnestock, Juanita Littleton, Arlene Lyons, Viola Yates, Peggy George, Lorene LeBlond and Mildred McRae.

Mrs. Don Lemen is the current president of the Ladies of the Elks, whose purpose has been assistance to their Elk husbands and many philanthropic endeavors.

For money-making events the Lady Elks hold rummage sales, fashion shows and serve salad luncheons to the public.

In expanding the philanthropic work several members work as volunteers at the Harbor General Hospital.

## Desert Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mitchell, 4917 Kingspine Rd., Rolling Hills, spent from Thursday until Sunday at Desert Hot Springs and Palm Springs.



CLUB TALENT DISPLAY . . . Drama section of the Torrance Woman's Club presented a play, "March Winds Blow," at the club's Federation and Reciprocity Day held Wednesday at the clubhouse. Performing are Mmes. James Burchett, at the piano, standing from left, Emma Roberts, Godfrey Nelson and Dorothy Tucker. Many presidents and officers of Marina District clubs as well as members of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club were honored guests on this day. (Herald Photo)



MRS. MILTON LEE BOWDEN . . . Former Kathleen Mallehan (Portrait by Seeman)